## PROCLAMATION OF EXISTENCE OF A LOCAL EMERGENCY

By Cherokee County Commission

WHEREAS, (in accordance with State Law) County of Cherokee empowers the Cherokee County Commission to proclaim the existence or threatened existence of a local emergency when said county is affected or likely to be affected by a public calamity; and

WHEREAS, said County Commission has been requested by the Director of Emergency Management Agency of said County to proclaim the existence of a local emergency therein; and

WHEREAS, said County Commission does hereby find:

That conditions of extreme peril to the safety of persons and property have arisen within the County, caused by heavy rains and damaging winds commencing on the 25<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2015;

NOW THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY PROCLAIMED that a local emergency now exists throughout Cherokee County; and

IT IS FURTHER PROCLAIMED AND ORDERED that during the existence of said local emergency the powers, functions, and duties of the Coordinator of Emergency Management Agency and the emergency organization of this County shall be those prescribed by state law, by charter, ordinances and resolutions of this County approved by the Cherokee County Commission on December 25, 2015.

DONE this the 25<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2015.

Kirk Day, Chairman County Commission